

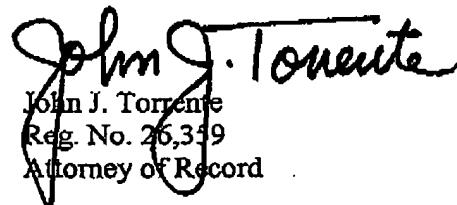
REMARKS

Claims 1-24 and 28-30 have been cancelled without prejudice. Accordingly, all rejected claims in the application have been cancelled.

In view of the above, all the claims remaining in the application, i.e., claims 25-27, have been allowed. Reconsideration of the claims and passage of same and this application to issue is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,



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